MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS MINUTES OF JANUARY 26, 2006

The Board of Chiropractic Examiners met at the Mississippi Department of Health, Jackson, MS. The meeting was called to order at 8:55 a.m. by Chairman Norville.

Those present: L. A. Norville, D.C., Chairman

Munson Hinman, D.C., Vice Chairman

David Ritch, D.C. Michael Patterson, D.C. David Allen, D.C. Brian W. Amy, M.D.

Leyser Hayes, Board Attorney

Richard Walker, D.C., Executive Secretary

Chairman Norville declared a quorum at 8:55 a.m.

Dr. Patterson motioned to accept the minutes of the October 27, 2005, Board meeting. Seconded by Dr. Amy. Motion passed unanimously.

The Executive Secretary gave the following financial report: Appropriation for FY2006 is \$46,982.00. YTD expenses \$19,294.29. Cash in State Treasury is \$68,440.85. YTD revenue is \$14,122.00. Dr. Ritch motioned to accept the report as read. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Hinman gave the continuing education report. Dr. Hinman motioned to accept the 12 hours of continuing education sponsored by the Mississippi Chiropractic Association. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned that a letter be sent to the Law Firm asking questions about the Dynamic/Digital Motion X-ray Unit. The Board decided that there was not enough information at this time for the Board to make a ruling. The Board suggests that the Law Firm go through the Department of Health radiological section to have the unit certified. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Norville discussed the Sunset Review bill in the Legislature.

Dr. Ritch motioned to allow the following graduate chiropractors to sit the Jurisprudence examination: Nikolas Ramone Chillies, D.C.; Ricco Vito Impastato, D.C.; Clay R. Morton, D.C.; Lad Aaron Nompone, D.C.; Ethan Todd Caughey, D.C.; and Daniel Corey Roebuck, D.C. They have met all requirements. Dr. Patterson seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Under Old Business, concerning the David Bennett, D.C. application, Dr. Patterson motioned to take it off the table and remand it to the files until further information is received from Georgia. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Richardson appeared before the Board in an informal setting to discuss a complaint lodged against him.

Regarding the Intense Pulse Light (IPL) request, Dr. Ritch motioned that there is not enough information presented for the Board to make a declaratory opinion. A letter is to be sent to Sybaritic, Inc. Dr. Patterson seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

There was no administrative rules committee report.

Under New Business, Dr. Amy motioned to nominate Dr. Norville as the voting delegate and Dr. Patterson as the alternate voting delegate to the National Board of Chiropractic Examiners and Federation of Licensing Board for the year 2006. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned to renew the extern certificate of Jeremy Goulet, D.C. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

After discussion, Dr. Patterson motioned to renew the extern certificate of Patrick Ballard, D.C. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Ritch motioned to approve the extern application for a six month period for Trevor Qualls, D.C., beginning February 24, 2006. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Amy motioned to set aside the fees required for replacement of licenses and certificates for doctors that have been affected by Hurricane Katrina. This provision is provided for by the Governor's State of Emergency Declaration. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned that the words "Duplicate License due to Hurricane Katrina" be placed on all replacement licenses requested by Gulf Coast chiropractors. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Ritch motioned the following doctors have passed the Jurisprudence examination and will be issued a license: Nikolas Ramone Chillies, D.C.; Ricco Vito Impastato, D.C.; Clay R. Morton, D.C.; Lad Aaron Nompone, D.C.; Ethan Todd Caughey, D.C.; and Daniel Corey Roebuck, D.C. Dr. Patterson seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

After discussion, Dr. Ritch motioned to move the next Board meeting to the Jackson Hilton. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned that a letter be written to Denton Spiers, D.C., concerning his advertisement. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned to approve pay vouchers. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

There being no further business, Dr. Hinman motioned for adjournment. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 10:48 a.m.

Next scheduled Board meeting: April 27, 2006 Next scheduled examination: April 27, 2006

Respectfully submitted,

Richard W. Walker, D.C. Executive Secretary

Signed by Chairman Norville as approved on 04/27/06.

MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS MINUTES OF APRIL 27, 2006

The Board of Chiropractic Examiners met at the Hilton-Jackson, Jackson, MS. The meeting was called to order at 8:30 a.m. by Chairman Norville.

Those present: L. A. Norville, D.C., Chairman

Munson Hinman, D.C., Vice Chairman

David Ritch, D.C. Michael Patterson, D.C. David Allen, D.C. Brian W. Amy, M.D.

Leyser Hayes, Board Attorney

Richard Walker, D.C., Executive Secretary

Chairman Norville declared a quorum at 8:31 a.m.

Dr. Patterson motioned to accept the minutes of the January 26, 2006, Board meeting. Seconded by Dr. Amy. Motion passed unanimously.

The Executive Secretary gave the following financial report: Appropriation for FY2006 is \$46,982.00. YTD expenses \$30,814.90. Cash in State Treasury is \$59,536.90. YTD revenue is \$16,572.00. Appropriation for FY2007 is \$55,876.00. Dr. Patterson motioned to accept the report as read. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned for the Board to present a proposal to the Mississippi Chiropractic Association to offer a non-membership CE hour seminar, because the Gulf Coast Chiropractic Association has discontinued providing CE hour seminars. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

There was no Rules and Regulations report.

Dr. Ritch motioned to allow the following graduate chiropractors to sit the Jurisprudence examination: David Chadwick Hall, II, D.C. and W. H. Sadler, D.C. They have met all requirements. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Norville presented that the Sunset Review of the Mississippi chiropractic law passed with a renewal date of 2011.

Under Old Business, Dr. Hinman motioned to accept the Administrative Rules Committee report on changes to the Board's Rules & Regulations as required by the Administrative Procedures Act. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously. A motion to reconsider this issue at the July Board meeting was entered and passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned to remove Steven Dodge, D.C. from probation as he has completed all aspects of his probation. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Regarding the advertising complaint from the January Board meeting, the Executive Secretary reported that the doctor has corrected the problem and submitted a corrected copy to the Board for proof. The Board now considers this complaint dismissed.

Under New Business, Dr. Hinman motioned to renew the Executive Secretary's contract with the Board for an additional two years beginning July 1, 2006 and continuing until June 30, 2008. Dr. Ritch seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

With all fees and paperwork completed, Dr. Allen motioned to renew the extern certificate of Bradley Johnson, D.C. for a period of six months. Dr. Amy seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned to table the reinstatement of T. David Howell, D.C.'s license until the July Board meeting. The Executive Secretary was asked to send a letter to Dr. Howell asking for clarification as to how long he has been out of practice. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Allen motioned to extend the time needed to get continuing education hours until June 30, 2007 for all doctors, chiropractic assistants, and radiological technicians in the GO-Zone with reference to Governor Barbour's emergency proclamation. Dr. Patterson seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Concerning complaint #26-01, Dr. Ritch motioned to request that the doctor involved appear at the July Board meeting for an informal hearing. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Allen motioned to write a letter to each doctor regarding his/her advertisement on the ChiroWeb internet website concerning chiropractic acupuncture. Dr. Amy seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Ritch motioned to request that the voting delegate to the National Board of Chiropractic Examiners support the election of Rick Murphree, D.C. as District Representative. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Ritch motioned the following doctors have passed the Jurisprudence examination and will be issued a license: David Chadwick Hall, II, D.C. and W. H. Sadler, D.C. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Allen motioned for the Executive Secretary to alert the Mississippi chiropractic profession that puncture of the skin through ear stapling is not allowed. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Allen motioned to propose a rule change to Rule 8 concerning the amount of the chiropractic assistant renewal and to discontinue the chiropractic assistant registration requirement. The new chiropractic assistant renewal fee would be \$5.00. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously. A motion to reconsider this issue at the July Board meeting was entered and passed at this time.

Dr. Patterson motioned to write a letter to Attorney General Jim Hood requesting his support of the National Association of Attorneys General (NAAG) letter that is in opposition to S.1955, the Health Insurance Marketplace Modernization and Affordability (HIMMA) Act. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously. However, on April 27, 2006, Attorney General Hood held a press conference in support of the NAAG letter opposing senate bill 1955. Therefore, the Board will not follow through on this motion.

Dr. Patterson motioned to approve pay vouchers. Dr. Amy seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

There being no further business, Dr. Hinman motioned for adjournment. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 10:58 a.m.

Next scheduled Board meeting: July 27, 2006 Next scheduled examination: July 27, 2006

Respectfully submitted,

Richard W. Walker, D.C. Executive Secretary

Signed by Chairman Norville as approved on 07/27/06.

MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS MINUTES OF JULY 27, 2006

The Board of Chiropractic Examiners met at the Hilton-Jackson, Jackson, MS. The meeting was called to order at 8:29 a.m. by Chairman Norville.

Those present: L. A. Norville, D.C., Chairman

Munson Hinman, D.C., Vice Chairman

David Ritch, D.C. Michael Patterson, D.C. David Allen, D.C. Brian W. Amy, M.D.

Leyser Hayes, Board Attorney

Richard Walker, D.C., Executive Secretary

Chairman Norville declared a quorum at 8:31 a.m.

Dr. Hinman motioned to nominate Dr. Norville as Chairman. Dr. Allen seconded. There being no other nominations, Dr. Norville was elected Chairman.

Dr. Hinman motioned to nominate Dr. Ritch as Vice Chairman. Dr. Allen seconded. There being no other nominations, Dr. Ritch was elected Vice Chairman.

Dr. Hinman motioned to accept the minutes of the April 27, 2006, Board meeting. Seconded by Dr. Allen. Motion passed unanimously.

The Executive Secretary gave the following financial report: Appropriation for FY2006 is \$46,982.00. YTD expenses \$43,476.96. Cash in State Treasury is \$87,318.10. YTD revenue is \$59,247.00. Appropriation for FY2007 is \$55,876.00. Dr. Patterson motioned to accept the report as read. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Hinman motioned for the Board to approve 6 continuing education hours put on by the Mississippi Chiropractic Association. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Amy motioned to reconsider the Rules and Regulations changes from the April Board meeting. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned to accept the proposed changes in the Rules and Regulations. Dr. Amy seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Ritch motioned to allow the following graduate chiropractors to sit the Jurisprudence examination: Trevor L. Qualls, D.C. and Bryan David Serena, D.C. They have met all requirements. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

There was no Legislative report.

Under Old Business, after discussion and on advice of counsel, Dr. Allen motioned to deny the application for licensure of David Bennett, D.C. Dr. Patterson seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

After discussion and on advice of counsel, Dr. Allen motioned to deny expunging Steven Dodge, D.C.'s record of the guilty verdict in Complaint #25-03. Dr. Ritch seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Concerning the change in Rule #8, Dr. Hinman motioned to take up the reconsideration from the April Board meeting. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Hinman motioned to eliminate the registration fee for new chiropractic assistants effective immediately. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Under New Business, Ron Herndon, D.C., appeared for an informal hearing at 9:00 a.m.

Dr. Patterson motioned to renew Patrick Ballard, D.C.'s extern certificate for six months. Dr. Ritch seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned to grant Kevin Snell, D.C. an emergency license for the next six months. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned to approve the SPEC application for Richard Yurick, D.C. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned to approve the Attorney General's contract with the Mississippi State Board of Chiropractic Examiners to provide legal advice and counsel. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Concerning complaint #26-02, further investigation is warranted and has been delegated to Dr. Allen.

Concerning complaint #26-03, Dr. Patterson motioned, after full discussion and on advice of counsel, to dispense with the complaint. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Concerning complaint #26-04, after much discussion and on advice of counsel, the Board found that no Mississippi law had been violated and has dismissed the complaint. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Allen motioned to approve the preceptorship applications for Stephen Brown, D.C. and Dorothy Jacobs, D.C., both of Logan College. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Ritch motioned the following doctors have passed the Jurisprudence examination and will be issued a license: Trevor L. Qualls, D.C. and Bryan David Serena, D.C. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned that the use of "free examination" with or without the necessary values is considered deceptive and misleading advertisement and would not be acceptable to be used in advertisements by chiropractors in the state of Mississippi. This is to be added as a change to Rule #5 Advertising. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned to waive the \$300 late fee for all chiropractic clinics in the Mississippi Go-Zone, as per Governor Haley Barbour's Emergency Proclamation dated August 26, 2005. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Concerning the request from Anthony Vicheto, D.C., Dr. Allen motioned to deny the request as the minutes are enough explanation concerning his complaint #24-02. Dr. Patterson seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned concerning the reinstatement of T. David Howell, D.C.'s Mississippi chiropractic license, that the following should be successfully completed before reinstatement of license will occur. They are: (1) Pay all back fees since lapse; (2) Get 120 hours of continuing education from July 1, 1994 – present; (3) Take and pass the SPEC examination of the National Board; and (4) Because of length of time out of practice and changes in chiropractic practice law, take and pass the Mississippi jurisprudence examination. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Hinman motioned to approve pay vouchers. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

There being no further business, Dr. Allen motioned for adjournment. Dr. Ritch seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 11:56 a.m.

Next scheduled Board meeting: October 26, 2006 Next scheduled examination: October 26, 2006

Respectfully submitted, Richard W. Walker, D.C. Executive Secretary

Minutes were approved by the full Board on October 26, 2006.

MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS MINUTES OF OCTOBER 26, 2006

The Board of Chiropractic Examiners met at the Hilton-Jackson, Jackson, MS. The meeting was called to order at 8:31 a.m. by Chairman Norville.

Those present: L. A. Norville, D.C., Chairman

Munson Hinman, D.C., Vice Chairman

David Ritch, D.C. Michael Patterson, D.C. David Allen, D.C. Brian W. Amy, M.D.

Leyser Hayes, Board Attorney

Richard Walker, D.C., Executive Secretary

Chairman Norville declared a quorum at 8:32 a.m.

Dr. Allen motioned to accept the minutes of the July 27, 2006, Board meeting. Seconded by Dr. Patterson. Motion passed unanimously.

The Executive Secretary gave the following financial report: Appropriation for FY2007 is \$55,876.00. YTD expenditures are \$11,123.32. Cash in State Treasury is \$87,484.83. Revenue for FY07 is \$4,125.00. Dr. Patterson motioned to accept the report as read. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Hinman motioned for the Board to approve 12 continuing education hours put on by the Mississippi Chiropractic Association in Jackson on November 4-5, 2006. Dr. Amy seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

There was no Rules and Regulations Report.

Dr. Ritch motioned to allow the following graduate chiropractors to sit the Jurisprudence examination: Casey Wayne Bevis, D.C.; D. Erin Jacobs, D.C.; Bradley Jay Johnson, D.C.; Bobby L. Myers, II, D.C.; Shana Jo Sullivan, D.C. They have met all requirements. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

There was no Legislative report.

Under Old Business, Complaint #26-02, Dr. Allen motioned to table this complaint until the January Board meeting, so that documents can be secured by the Attorney General's office. Dr. Patterson seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned to table the David Bennett, D.C. licensure application until the January Board meeting. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

No action was taken on the Anthony Vicheto, D.C. request because Dr. Vicheto did not appear at the Board meeting.

Under New Business, Casey Bevis, D.C. appeared before the Board at 9:00 a.m. concerning an arrest record when he was in school. No action taken.

Dr. Ritch motioned to revoke the following licenses for non-payment of renewal fees:

Sharon Birzer, D.C. Ethan Caughey, D.C. Todd Custer, D.C. Khanh Dang, D.C. Gregory Hovanic, D.C. David Leu, D.C.

Scott Martin, D.C. Lawrence McNair, D.C.

Robin Moore, D.C.

William Sadler, D.C.

Ivory Thigpen, D.C.

Brian Tran, D.C.

David Patch, D.C.

Ronald Smith, D.C.

Brady Toulmè, D.C.

Clay Wilkins, D.C.

Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Chairman Norville appointed Dr. Hinman and Dr. Patterson as a committee to formulate rules concerning the qualifications of manipulation under anesthesia. The Board took the question under advisement until the January Board meeting.

Dr. Ritch motioned to approve Dorothey Jacobs, D.C. extern application. Dr. Patterson seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Concerning Complaint #26-05, Dr. Patterson motioned for the Attorney General's office to file a Cease and Desist Order to the doctor involved. Also, Dr. Patterson motioned to issue a warning letter to the associate doctor as per Section 73-6-19(1)(m). Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Allen motioned that no statutory or ethical prohibition could be found to prohibit a husband and wife treating each other because of motor vehicle accident. Dr. Ritch seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned that the cold laser therapy (LLLT) falls within the scope of practice in Mississippi and can be used by the profession. Dr. Ritch seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Ritch motioned the following doctors have passed the Jurisprudence examination and will be issued a license: Casey Wayne Bevis, D.C.; D. Erin Jacobs, D.C.; Bradley Jay Johnson, D.C.; Bobby L. Myers, II, D.C.; Shana Jo Sullivan, D.C. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned to approve pay vouchers. Dr. Ritch seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Allen motioned to approve the Emergency license for Robert Richard Guenther, D.C. to assist William Hill, D.C., who has been injured. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Ritch motioned to approve the SPEC application for Robert Grimes, D.C. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

The Board discussed the potential need to revoke a Mississippi chiropractor's license because of out-of-state non-payment of child support. This will be on the authority of an order by the Mississippi Department of Human Services. This will be an automatic revocation upon receipt of the order. This revocation will be enforced until he makes restitution.

Dr. Patterson motioned to send a letter to the doctor whose yellow page advertisements are misleading. Dr. Ritch seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

There being no further business, Dr. Allen motioned for adjournment. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 11:10 a.m.

Next scheduled Board meeting: January 25, 2007 Next scheduled examination: January 25, 2007

Respectfully submitted, Richard W. Walker, D.C. Executive Secretary

Minutes were approved by the full Board on January 25, 2007.